

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
)  
**Jean-Michel STURLA et al.** )  
)  
Serial No.: New U.S. Patent Application ) Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
)  
Filed: August 30, 1999 ) Examiner: Unassigned  
)  
For: AEROSOL DEVICE CONTAINING A )  
POLYCONDENSATE COMPRISING AT )  
LEAST ONE POLYURETHANE AND/OR )  
POLYUREA UNIT )

JC526 U.S. PTO  
09/385412  
08/30/99

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO 1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed concurrently with the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed documents are submitted herewith for the Examiner's convenience. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

With respect to the non-English language documents, Applicants submit the following remarks:

1. **DE 42 41 118** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
2. **DE 44 38 849** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
3. **DE 195 41 326** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
4. **EP 0 636 361** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
5. **EP 0 637 600** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
6. **EP 0 648 485** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
7. **EP 0 745 373** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
8. **EP 0 751 162** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.
9. **EP 0 756 860** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.

10. **FR 2 743 297** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.

11. **FR 2 749 568** - An abstract of the disclosure of this document can be found in the English language Derwent Abstract submitted herewith.

12. **WO 94/03510** - An English language abstract of this foreign language document can be found on the title page of this document.

13. **WO 97/25021** - An English language abstract of this foreign language document can be found on the title page of this document.

14. **WO 98/20833** - An English language abstract of this foreign language document can be found on the title page of this document.

Additionally, Applicants would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the following applications, which applications all relate to similar subject matter:

1. **Title:** HAIR COMPOSITION CONTAINING A POLYCONDENSATE COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE POLYURETHANE AND/OR POLYUREA UNIT AND POLYOL

**By:** Jean-Michel STURLA and Jean-Luc BREMENSON

**Filed:** August 27, 1999

**Attorney Docket No.:** 05725.0468-00000

2. **Title:** COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING A POLYCONDENSATE COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE POLYURETHANE AND/OR POLYUREA UNIT AND A SILICONE COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE CARBOXYLIC FUNCTION

**By:** Jean-Michel STURLA and Jean-Luc BREMENSON

**Filed:** August 27, 1999

**Attorney Docket No.:** 05725.0469-00000

3. **Title:** AEROSOL DEVICE CONTAINING A POLYCONDENSATE COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE POLYURETHANE AND/OR

POLYUREA UNIT

**By:** Jean-Michel STURLA, Jean-Luc BREMENSON,  
François LE BOURHIS, and Arnaud VILBERT

**Filed:** August 27, 1999

**Attorney Docket No.:** 05725.0470-00000

This submission does not represent that a search has been made or that no better art exists and does not constitute an admission that each or all of the listed documents are material or constitute "prior art." If the Examiner applies any of the documents as prior art against any claim in the application and Applicants determine that the cited documents do not constitute "prior art" under United States law, Applicants reserve the right to present to the U.S. Patent Office the relevant facts and law regarding the appropriate status of such documents.

Applicants further reserve the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should one or more of the documents be applied against the claims of the present application. If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Statement, please charge the fee to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,  
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

By: 

Thomas L. Irving  
Reg. No. 28,619

Date: August 30, 1999